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Judicial: Judge, Syracuse City Court (1988-1999); Justice, New York Supreme Court, Fifth Judicial District (2000-2001); Associate Justice, New York Supreme Court, Appellate Division, Second Department (2001-2004)

Current Memberships: The New York State Bar Association; Onondaga County Bar Association; Women's Bar Association of the State of New York

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District Judge

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Began Service: December 30, 2005
Appointed By: President George W. Bush

Clerkships: Law Clerk, District Judge Mark A. Costantino, United States District Court for the Eastern District of New York (1971-1972)

Government: Member, New York State Assembly (1983-2002)

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District Judge

Education: Georgetown 1988 BA; Columbia 1991 JD
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Clerkships: Law Clerk, District Judge Peter K. Leisure, United States District Court for the Southern District of New York (1992-1993)

Government: Organized Crime and Terrorism Chief, Criminal Division, Department of Justice; Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division, United States Department of Justice; Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division, Office of the Deputy Attorney General, United States Department of Justice

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Brian M. Cogan
District Judge

Education: Illinois 1975 BS; Cornell 1979 JD
Began Service: June 2006
Appointed By: President George W. Bush

Government: Vice Chairman, Appointment of City Marshal's Commission, City of New York, New York; Member, Disciplinary Committee, New York Appellate Division, First Department

Legal Practice: General Counsel, Stroock & Stroock & Lavan LLP

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Roslynn Renee Mausekopf
District Judge

Education: Brandeis; Georgetown 1982 JD
Began Service: October 2007
Appointed By: President George W. Bush

Government: Assistant District Attorney, Trial Division, New York County District Attorney; Assistant District Attorney, Investigation Division, New York County District Attorney; Deputy Chief, Special Prosecutions Bureau, New York County District Attorney; Chief, Frauds Bureau, New York County District Attorney; Inspector General, State of New York (1995-2002)

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Kiyo A. Matsumoto
District Judge

Education: UC Berkeley; Georgetown JD
Began Service: July 22, 2008
Appointed By: President George W. Bush

Academic: Adjunct Professor, Brooklyn Law School

Government: Civil Division Chief/Professional Responsibility Officer, Civil Division, New York - Eastern District, Department of Justice; Financial Litigation Unit Chief, Civil Division, New York - Eastern District, United States Department of Justice; Civil Health Care Fraud Coordinator, Civil Division, New York - Eastern District, United States Department of Justice; Trial Advocacy and Civil and Financial Litigation Instructor, Office of Legal Education (National Advocacy Center), United States Department of Justice; Senior Trial Counsel, Civil Division, New York - Eastern District, United States Department of Justice

Judicial: Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the Eastern District of New York (2004-2008)

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Jack B. Weinstein
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1921
Education: Brooklyn 1943 BA; Columbia 1948 LLB; Embry-Riddle 1987 MS
Began Service: April 15, 1967
Appointed By: President Lyndon B. Johnson

Academic: Professor, Columbia Law School (1956-1967)

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Stanley H. Fuld, New York Court of Appeals (1949-1950)

Government: County Attorney, County of Nassau, New York (1963-1965)

Legal Practice: Partner, Rosenfeld & Weinstein (1950-1952); Private practice (1952-1960)

Military Service: United States Navy (1942-1946); United States Naval Reserve

Current Memberships: American Academy of Arts and Sciences; American Bar Association; American Judicature Society; The American Law Institute; The Association of the Bar of the City of New York; International Association of Jewish Lawyers and Jurists; Nassau County Bar Association; The New York State Bar Association

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Raymond J. Dearie
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1944
Education: Fairfield 1966 AB; St John's U (NY) 1969 JD
Began Service: March 21, 1986
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; The Association of the Bar of the City of New York; Federal Bar Council; The New York State Bar Association

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